

**IN THE U. S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Kunihiko HORIKAWA et al. Conf. 5720

Application No. 10/574,353 Group 2627

Filed: July 26, 2006 Examiner K.K. CHU

Title: INFORMATION RECORDING MEDIUM, INFORMATION RECORDING  
DEVICE AND METHOD, INFORMATION RECORDING/REPRODUCING DEVICE AND  
METHOD, AND COMPUTER PROGRAM

**AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents February 16, 2010  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of October 16, 2009,  
for which the period for response has been extended one month,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing  
of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 20 of this paper.